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EXAMINING GROUP 2834

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Lambert Haner
Serial No.: 09/655,576 Art Unit: 2834
Filing Date: September 6, 2000
Title: CONTROLLED RELUCTANCE AC INDUCTION MOTOR
Examiner: Judson H. Jones
Docket No.: 28870

AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
Box AF
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The three-month period for responding to the Office action of November 4, 2002 expired on February 4, 2003. Applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response period be extended by three-months until November 6, 2002. A check for the \$55.00 extension of time fee is enclosed.

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Responsive to the Office communication dated
November 4, 2002, applicant responds as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 10 without prejudice and with
the right to prosecute this claim in a continuing case.